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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

LEONARD et al.

Application No.: 10/659,586

Filed: September 11, 2003

For: USE OF IL-12 AND IL-12
ANTAGONISTS IN THE
TREATMENT OF AUTOIMMUNE
DISEASES

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Group Art Unit: 1645
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Examiner: N. M. Minnifield
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Confirmation No.: 4504
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed are the following:

1. Amendment and Response (20 pages);
2. Petition for Extension of Time (1 page); and
3. Check in the amount of \$120.00 for the extension of time.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge
any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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